

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Confirmation No.: 3808

Seymour

Group Art Unit: 1636

Appln. No.: 10/009,347

Examiner: James S. Ketter

Filed: November 18, 2004

Title: Modification of Biological Elements

July 26, 2006

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**AMENDMENT AND REPLY PURSUANT TO 37 C.F.R. § 1.111**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

This is in response to the official action dated January 26, 2006, and is timely filed, as it is accompanied by a petition for an extension of time to file in the third month, and the requisite fee.